

Chambers of Senior Judge Lesley Wells

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Lesley Wells
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1937
Education: Chatham 1959 BA; Cleveland-Marshall 1974 JD
Began Service: February 1994
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Adjunct Professor, Cleveland-Marshall College of Law (1980-1981)

Judicial: Judge, Ohio Court of Common Pleas, Cuyahoga County (1983-1994)

Legal Practice: Private Practice; Partner, Brooks & Moffet (1975-1979); Schneider, Smeltz, Huston & Ranney (1980-1983)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Law Institute; Cleveland Bar Association; Cleveland-Marshall Law Alumni Association; Cuyahoga County Bar Association; National Women Judges Association; Ohio State Bar Association; Ohio Women's Bar Association

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James S. Gallas
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1927
Education: Bethany (WV) 1949 AB; Cleveland-Marshall 1953 LLB
Began Service: July 1, 1991
Term Expires: 2007

Academic: Claims adjuster (1953-1963)

Government: Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, State of Ohio (1964-1971); Clerk of the Court, United States District Court for the Northern District of Ohio (1977-1991)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1963); Private Practice (1971-1977)

Military Service: United States Army (1946-1947)

Current Memberships: Federal Bar Association; Ohio State Bar Association

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Patricia A. Hemann
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1942
Education: Illinois 1964 BA; Cleveland-Marshall 1980 JD
Began Service: April 12, 1993
Term Expires: April 2009

Academic: Instructor, Cleveland State University School of Business (1985-1992)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable William K. Thomas, United States District Court for the Northern District of Ohio (1980-1982)

Legal Practice: Associate, Hahn, Loeser & Parks (1982-1987); Partner, Hahn, Loeser & Parks (1987-1993)

Current Memberships: Cleveland-Marshall College of Law Visiting Committee; Federal Bar Association; Greater Cleveland Bar Association, Trustee; Ohio Women's Bar Association

Staff

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Vernelis K. Armstrong
Magistrate Judge

Began Service: September 1994
Term Expires: September 2010

Staff

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Nancy A. Vecchiarelli
Magistrate Judge

Education: Cincinnati 1977 JD
Began Service: April 20, 1998
Term Expires: April 20, 2014



Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Thomas J. Parino, Ohio Court of Appeals, Eighth District (1977-1979)

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Ohio, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Ronald Reagan Administration (1986-1998)

Legal Practice: Associate, Hahn, Loeser & Parks (1979-1986)

Chambers of Magistrate Judge Nancy A. Vecchiarelli continued

Current Memberships: Anthony J. Celebrezzi Inn of Courts; Federal Bar Association; Justinian Forum; Ohio Womens Bar Association

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George J. Limbert
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1940
Education: Case Western 1965 JD, 1971 LLM
Began Service: November 8, 1999
Term Expires: November 7, 2007
Political Affiliation: Republican

Government: Boardman Township Trustee, County of Mahoning, Ohio (1998-1999)

Judicial: Common Pleas Judge, Mahoning County (1995-1996)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1965-1995); Private Practice (1997-1999)

Current Memberships: Mahoning County Bar Association; Ohio State Bar Association

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William H. Baughman, Jr.
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1949
Education: Notre Dame 1974 JD
Began Service: February 15, 2000
Term Expires: February 15, 2008

Academic: Adjunct Faculty, Cleveland-Marshall College of Law, Cleveland State University

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Roger Kiley, United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit (1974-1975)

Legal Practice: Partner, Weston, Hurd, Fallon, Paisley & Howley, LLP (1985-2000)

Current Memberships: Cleveland Bar Association

Chambers of Magistrate Judge William H. Baughman, Jr. continued**Staff**

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Kenneth S. McHargh
Magistrate Judge

Education: Wooster 1966 BA; Connecticut 1974 JD
Began Service: March 2004

Government: Deputy Chief, Criminal Division, Northern District of Ohio, United States Department of Justice, Ronald Reagan Administration (1983-2004)

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David S. Perelman

Magistrate Judge (recalled)

Education: Case Western 1958
Began Service: September 14, 1979

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